

House Bill 451

By: Representatives Talton of the 145th, Byrd of the 20th, and Abdul-Salaam of the 74th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

To amend Chapter 1A of Title 20 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to early care and learning, so as to exempt certain nonprofit youth development organizations from licensing requirements for day-care centers, family day-care homes, or group day-care homes; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

Chapter 1A of Title 20 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to early care and learning, is amended by inserting a new Code section to be designated Code Section 20-1A-18 to read as follows:

"20-1A-18.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, the provisions of this article shall not apply to any Georgia youth development organization that:

(1) Is nonprofit;

(2) Is chartered or governed by a national parent organization;

(3) Is required to meet annual reviews of its programs by its national parent organization in order to maintain its charter or connection with the national parent organization;

(4) Has as its primary goal or mission the service of disadvantaged children of school age; and

(5) Charges nominal fees or dues."

SECTION 2.

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.